IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of:

Yosuke INOMATA, et al.

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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING A

SOLAR CELL (Amended)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

Examiner: Allan W. Olsen

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted via electronic filing to:

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136, Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a one-month extension of time extending to February 13, 2007, the period for response to the Office Action dated October 13, 2007. Please charge the fee of \$250 for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. The responsive paper(s) are attached.

Please charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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